

BRIEF

CONTACT

DEPARTMENT: Environmental Science

SCHOOL OF STUDIES: School of Sciences

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Professor of Environmental Science

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION:

M. Sc., Ph.D.

Teaching EXPERIENCE:

Netaji Subhas Open University; Feb. 2022 to till date; Visva-Bharati University; July 1986 to Nov. 2021

AWARD AND FELLOWSHIP:

Swedish Institute Guest Scholarship, 1998

RESEARCH Interests & EXPERIENCE:

Various aspects of Algae and Bryophytes; 5 years as research scholar and 36 years of independent research as a faculty member.

Administrative experience:

Officiated as Registrar and Finance officer of Visva-Bharati University, Worked as Proctor of University

UG & PG TEACHING ASSIGNMENTS:

UG teaching at NSOU; UG and PG teaching at Visva-Bharati

No. of CANDIDATE AWARDED/ REGISTERED FOR PH.D.:

Awarded 10

Membership of different Committees:

Member of Board of Studies of NSOU

Membership of Professional Bodies:

- 1. Indian Botanical Society,
- 2. Phycological Society of India,
- 3. International Research Group on Charophytes

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/ EXPERIENCE

SI. No.	Details
	Was member of school and college cricket and football team; Trekking

RESEARCH PROJECTS:

SI. No.	Name of the Project	Funding Agency	Period	Grant Mobilized	Outcome
	8 projects	sanctioned by UGC, CSIR, DNES, DST (WB)		1 crore	Significant results related to ALgae, Cyanobacteria and mosses

DETAILS OF PUBLICATIONS (BOOKS/ EDITED VOLUME / RESEARCH PAPERS/REVIEW): [Last 10 Year]

SI. No.	Title of the paper vol. No., Issue No., Page No, Year	Publisher	Year of publication	ISSN/ ISBN
1	Topics on Biodiversity, Biotechnology and Bioinformatics	Self	2022	9789356203976
2	Manual of Bryophytes	CRC Press	2022	9781003207694
3	 Ray, S. et al. Molecularphylogenetic studies, J. of Phy. & Env. Bio., 2 (2): 2-9. Ray, S. et al. 2012. Soil-crustsoil-parameters. 		2014	
	Phytomorphology, 62 (1&2). 3. Ray, S. et al. 2013. Effect ofex Born et Flah. Phytomorphology, ^3 (3&4): 101 – 111.		2013	
	4. Ray, S. et al. 2015. DiversityIndia-2. Algological Studies, 147: 29-44.		2015	
	5. Ray, S. et al. 2017. Variation inFunaria hygrometrica, Nelumbo, 59 (1): 110 – 117.		2017	
	6. Ray, S. et al. 2019. OccurrenceIndia, Plant Science Today, 6 (1): 8-16.		2019	
	7. Ray, S. 2020. Endosymbiotic theoryPhylogeny. J. Bot. Soc. Beng. 74 (2): 1-7.		2020	
	8. Ray, S. et al. 2021. Study of mossWest Bengal. J. Bot. Soc. Beng., 75(1): 1-10.		2021	

PAPERS PRESENTED AT SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, ETC.: [Last 10 Year]:

12 seminars attended and papers presented

RESEARCH GUIDANCE:

Have guided 10 Ph.D. students between 1986 and 2021 at Visva-Bharati

INVITED LECTURE: [Last 5 Year]

SI.	Topic	Date	Venue	National/International
No.				
1	Structure of antheridiumantheridial filament cells	7.11 2022	Webinar	Department of Biological Sciences,
				Georgia Southern
				University, USA